

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 09/620,053      Group Art Unit: 2616  
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Applicant: Yang CAO  
Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR  
SYNCHRONOUS AND ASYNCHRONOUS  
SWITCHING OF INTERNET PROTOCOL  
TRAFFIC

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**Response**

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In response to the most recent Office Action, the Applicant submits the following response.

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	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
<b>Total</b>	42	-	42	=	0
<b>Independent</b>	4	-	4	=	0